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6 **IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
7 **FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA**
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9 Nia Elan Davis,

10 Plaintiff,

11 v.

12 American Airlines, et al.,

13 Defendants.
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No. CV-25-01992-PHX-KML

ORDER

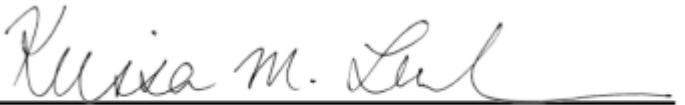
15 Plaintiff Nia Elan Davis is representing herself in this suit. Davis filed a “Motion to
16 Accept Waiver of Service and to Approve Date of Service as June 25, 2025.” (Doc. 13.)
17 Davis explains she wishes to establish defendant American Airlines waived service of
18 process on June 25, 2025. Davis wishes “to ensure clarity in the record” and her motion is
19 “to establish the appropriate timeline for Defendant’s responsive pleading.” (Doc. 13 at 3.)

20 Davis’s motion requesting the court “accept” and “approve” service on American
21 Airlines is not appropriate. Whether Davis properly served American Airlines will be
22 resolved if, and only if, American Airlines raises the adequacy of service in a motion when
23 responding to the complaint. The court does not have a factual or legal basis to approve of
24 Davis’s service efforts outside of that context. Davis is warned that litigants who proceed
25 without counsel “must follow the same rules of procedure that govern other litigants.” *King*
26 *v. Atiyeh*, 814 F.2d 565, 567 (9th Cir. 1987), *overruled in part by Lacey v. Maricopa Cnty.*,
27 693 F.3d 896 (9th Cir. 2012). In the future Davis must ensure her filings comply with all
28 applicable rules and procedures.

1 Accordingly,

2 **IT IS ORDERED** the Motion to Accept Waiver of Service (Doc. 13) is **DENIED**.

3 Dated this 15th day of July, 2025.

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7 **Honorable Krissa M. Lanham**
8 **United States District Judge**
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